
OPTIONAL STATE SUPPLEMENTATION

STATUTORY BASIS FOR PAYMENT	Montana codes annotated 52-1-104.
EFFECTIVE DATE	July 1, 1974.
ADMINISTRATION¹	Social Security Administration.
PASSALONG	In compliance by the method of maintaining all payment levels.
SCOPE OF COVERAGE	Optional State supplement provided to persons residing in State certified care facilities listed under "Payment Levels." All disabled children, including the blind, who are eligible for SSI and reside in a certified foster home are eligible to receive the State supplement.
RECOVERIES, LIENS, AND ASSIGNMENTS	None.
RELATIVE RESPONSIBILITY	None.
INCOME DISREGARDS	No disregards in addition to the Federal income disregards.
RESOURCE LIMITATIONS	Federal SSI resource limitations apply.
PLACE OF APPLICATION	Social Security Administration district offices.
FUNDING	Assistance: State funds. Administration: State funds.
INTERIM ASSISTANCE	State participates.

¹ Mandatory minimum supplementation is administered by the same agency as optional supplementation.

PAYMENT LEVELS²

<u>Code</u>	<u>Living arrangements</u>	<u>Combined Federal/State</u>		<u>State supplementation</u>	
		<u>Individual</u>	<u>Couple</u>	<u>Individual</u>	<u>Couple</u>
G	Personal-care facilities	\$564.00	\$898.00	\$94.00	\$193.00
H	Group home for mentally disabled (ill)	564.00	898.00	94.00	193.00
I	Community home for physically or developmentally disabled	564.00	898.00	94.00	193.00
J	Child and adult foster care	522.75	815.50	52.75	110.50
K	Transitional living services for developmentally disabled	496.00	762.00	26.00	57.00

STATE ASSISTANCE FOR SPECIAL NEEDS

State does not provide assistance for special needs.

MEDICAID**ELIGIBILITY:**

CRITERION SSI program guidelines (title XVI).

DETERMINED BY Social Security Administration.

MEDICALLY NEEDY PROGRAM Program for the aged, blind, and disabled medically needy.

UNPAID MEDICAL EXPENSES The Social Security Administration does not obtain this information.

² Unless otherwise stated, payment levels apply equally to aged, blind and disabled. All care facilities must be State certified. Developmentally disabled persons in transitional living facilities are allowed to retain at least \$40 as a personal needs allowance. All other persons eligible for a State supplement in State certified facilities are allowed to retain up to \$40 as a personal needs allowance.